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In re Application of:  
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REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO RESPOND TO  
OFFICE ACTION DATED OCTOBER 8, 1998

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), Applicants petition for an extension of time of four months to and including July 4, 1999 in which to respond to the Office Action dated October 8, 1998.

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.17, a check in the amount of \$1,060.00 is enclosed, which includes the process fee (\$680.00) for a four-month extension of time.

If the check is inadvertently omitted, or should any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 to 1.21 be required for any reason relating to the enclosed materials, or should an overpayment be included herein, the Assistant Commissioner is authorized to deduct or credit said fees from or to Arnold White & Durkee Deposit Account No. 01-2508/ARCD:177/WIM.

Respectfully submitted,



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